## CITY OF IRVINE MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL

LARRY AGRAN AGE: 59
OCCUPATION: Mayor of Irvine

I've been privileged to serve as Irvine's Mayor since 2000. Under our City Charter, I cannot again run for Mayor, but I can seek a City Council seat. That's what I've chosen to do.

I'm committed to further enhancing Irvine's quality of life, building upon the City's recent record of historic progress. Let's look at the record:

First, according to FBI statistics on violent crime, Irvine is now America's No. 1 safest city.

Second, I led the successful fight to defeat the County's El Toro Airport and replace it with the self-financing Great Park. Groundbreaking is scheduled for 2005.

Third, across Irvine we've added to our open space and community parks system: the Bommer Canyon Open Space Preserve; Oak Creek and Woodbridge Community Parks; Civic Center Park; the renovated Heritage Park Aquatics Complex; and the Lower Peters Canyon Park and Jeffrey Open Space Trail, both now under construction.

While other cities struggle in these difficult economic times, in Irvine we've charted a steady course with balanced budgets and ample "rainy day" reserves. I'm proud that people of all abilities, nationalities and faiths are now working together to further improve our quality of life.

I ask for your vote to continue this important work.